

County of Los Angeles
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES

12860 CROSSROADS PARKWAY SOUTH • CITY OF INDUSTRY, CALIFORNIA 91746
Tel (562) 908-8400 • Fax (562) 908-0459



BRYCE YOKOMIZO
Director



Board of Supervisors
GLORIA MOLINA
First District

YVONNE B. BURKE
Second District

ZEV YAROSLAVSKY
Third District

DON KNABE
Fourth District

MICHAEL D. ANTONOVICH
Fifth District

July 6, 2005

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Bryce Yokomizo, Director

David Sanders, Ph.D.
Director of Department of Children and Family Services

Marvin Southard, D.S.W.
Director of Department of Mental Health

**SUBJECT: REPORT ON PROTOCOL WITH MIDNIGHT MISSION
(BOARD ORDER #61 – DECEMBER 14, 2004)**

This is to provide you with our final weekly report on the protocol developed with the Midnight Mission in Skid Row to assist homeless families. The report for the week June 27 through July 3 is negative.

As background, on December 14, 2004, your Board instructed DPSS, DCFS and DMH to submit weekly reports for six months. Since the inception of these protocols on December 13, 2004, 27 families (a total of 52 children) have been referred by the Midnight Mission for CalWORKs benefits and services.

With the success of the Midnight Mission protocols, we plan to continue them and are expanding the concept Countywide by establishing similar protocols with other providers.

BY:FW

Attachment

c: Chief Administrative Offices
County Counsel
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors
Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority
Public Counsel

"To Enrich Lives Through Effective And Caring Service"

WEEKLY REPORT ON MIDNIGHT MISSION FAMILIES

Week of Monday 06/27/05 through Sunday 07/03/05

This Week		Since Program Started: 12/13/2004
A. Families referred to DPSS		
1. Number of families referred	0	27
a) Number of adults	0	36
b) Number of children	0	52
Ages 0-4	0	23
Ages 5-10	0	21
Ages 11-14	0	6
Ages 15+	0	2
2. Disposition of referrals		
a) Homeless Assistance		
1) Number of families to whom CalWORKs Homeless Assistance funding for shelter issued	0	18
2) Number of families not eligible for CalWORKs Homeless Assistance funding and placed in a family shelter	0	8
3) Number of families left before interview was completed	0	1
b) CalWORKs Status		
1) Number of families already on aid	0	22
2) Number of families approved and issued CalWORKs	0	3
3) Number of families denied	0	2
Reasons for application denial:		
o did not return to the district office to complete the application process	0	1
o subsequently determined ineligible	0	1
B. Reason for homelessness		
1. Evicted	0	23
2. Domestic violence	0	0
3. Moved from another County/State	0	3
4. Prior home declared uninhabitable	0	0
5. No other shelter available	0	0
6. Unable to determine	0	1
C. Case Management		
1. Specialized Supportive Services		
a) Number of families screened	0	13
b) Number of families referred for:	0	1
o mental health services	0	1
o domestic violence services	0	0
o substance abuse services	0	0
2. DMH		
Number of families evaluated for the CalWORKs Families Project	0	1
3. DCFS		
a) Number of families screened	0	5
b) Number of families referred for:	0	0
o Child protective services	0	0
o Family support services	0	0